



APPLICATION TO IMPORT OYSTERS FROM OUT OF STATE

Filing application does NOT guarantee approval for import. Permits are issued on a case by case basis. Applicants will be notified in writing if approved to import oysters. 48 hours' notice must be given prior to importing and permit must be on hand at time of transport. Permits may take 1-3 weeks processing. Please be specific about estimated time of import and LDWF can expedite as much as reasonably possible.

Applicant name:	
Mailing address:	
Phone number:	Email address:
Target species and life-stage to be imported:	
Location of proposed release:	
Time period/year of proposed release:	
Source(s) of target species:	

Approximate number of oysters proposed to be imported/released in cages*:
Anticipated number of importation events:
Detailed justification:

Measures take to minimize the possibility that exotic species/diseases will be unintentionally released:
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*Please note that in reference to the term "released" in the above material that these oysters will not be released into the water. Describe oyster containment method below:

Signature of applicant: _____ Date: _____

Please submit application and refer questions to: Carolina Bourque
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